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## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

| In re application of:  BERA, et al | ) Attorney Docket No.: KXENP001 |  |  |
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| . )                                | Examiner: Josesph P. Hirl       |  |  |
| Application No.: 09/418,537        | Group Art Unit: 2762            |  |  |
| Filed: October 14, 1999            | Date: May 16, 2002              |  |  |
| For: ROBUST MODELING )             | ·                               |  |  |

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Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

The fee has been calculated as shown below.

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| INDEP<br>CLAIM | s <u>3</u> -                     | 3                                 | 0                | X42 = \$                | OR | X84 = \$             |
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Applicant(s) hereby petition for a one month(s) extension of time to respond to the outstanding Office Action.

- Applicant(s) believe that no (additional) Extension of Time is required; however, if it is determined that such an extension is required, Applicant(s) hereby petition that such an extension be granted and authorize the Commissioner to charge the required fees for an Extension of Time under 37 CFR 1.136 to Deposit Account No. 50-0685.
- Enclosed is our Check No. 501 in the amount of \$110.00 to cover the additional claim fee and/or extension of time fees.
- If the required fees are missing or any additional fees are required during the pendency of the subject application, please charge such fees or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-0685 (KXENP001).

Respectfully submitted, VAN PELT & YI LLP

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